

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

Jordan

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For: **METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR ATTACHMENT PROCESSING IN
ASSOCIATION WITH ELECTRONIC MESSAGES**

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments and remarks contained herein in response to the final Office Action mailed September 24, 2007. Applicant respectfully submits that the amendments and remarks contained herein place the instant application in condition for allowance. In accordance with 37 U.S.C. §1.114, a Request for Continued Examination is filed concurrently with this Response to the final Office Action so that the Office Action mailed September 24, 2007 is effectively made non-final.

AUTHORIZATION TO DEBIT ACCOUNT

It is not believed that any extension of time is required. In the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to deposit account no. 20-0778.